

NEW YORK SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

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Second Floor Delicatessen Building.
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CITY NEWS.

If you really wish to see where the people most do congregate in this city just go to Crawford's corner and Crawford's store!! You will come at once to the conclusion that Crawford's have the most complete stock of holiday goods in this city, and that their prices are as usual the lowest!! Else, why such crowds? The people of St. Louis are level headed.

For Useful Christmas Presents
Go to F. C. Murphy, Third and St. Charles streets, where you will find a large and varied assortment of trunks, bags, satchels, toy trunks, toilet and dressing cases, in fact everything in leather goods to be found in a first-class establishment. Finely furnished traveling bags in seal, alligator and grain leather a specialty.

Dr. E. C. Chase,
Corner of 9th & Olive streets. Set of teeth, \$8.
PRIVATE matters skillfully treated and medicines furnished. Dr. Dinabier, 814 Pine st.

A BIG DIAMOND.
The Largest One Ever Seen Brought From Brazil Mine.

By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch.
New York, Dec. 12.—The largest diamond ever found of the sort for tipping drills, glass cutters and like mechanical appliances, has been brought to this city from the mines back of Bahia, Brazil. It was on exhibition yesterday at the office of D. L. Van Moppes, No. 3 John street. To the ordinary citizen the stone looks like a chunk of anthracite coal of a very dull color or like a bit of coke. It is heavier than either, however. It is about two inches in its greatest length and weighs 87½ carats. It is valued at \$5,000. Unlike the diamond gem, this sort of carbon will not polish, and it is not more valuable than an equal weight of small ones would be, for the reason that it must be divided into about a hundred and fifty pieces before it is offered to the trade. These diamonds are so hard that drills for boring into the hardest sorts of rock are tipped with them. They are not found in any other part of the world, but if found by the unlearned citizen to lie loose in the street or anywhere else they would be passed by unnoticed, because of their appearance.

Only \$42.50 to California.

The Iron Mountain Route will run the first of a series of popular excursions in Pullman Tourist Sleeping Cars to New Mexico, Arizona, and California, December 15. These cars are furnished with mattresses, pillows, sheets, blankets, ladies' toilet rooms, lavatories, towels, etc., and each car is in charge of a porter, whose sole duty it is to look after the comfort of the passengers. A small extra charge is made for berths. Other excursions will follow January 1, 15, and 25. Ticket offices 102 North Fourth street and Union Depot.

Sandbagged and Robbed.

COUNCIL REUFFS, 10, Dec. 12.—A sensation was caused last night when George Manker, a prominent miller of this city, was found lying on his doorstep in an unconscious condition. His head and face were badly cut and bruised and he was bleeding profusely. Mr. Manker had been missing since early in the morning, and as his gold watch and jewelry, valued at \$500, were missing, together with a number of checks he was known to have had, it was presumed he had been sandbagged. Mr. Manker has not yet recovered consciousness and the police have not been able to find any trace of his assailants.

Holiday Bargains at the Globe.
Hand-painted plush ties, 25c; Helvetia silk umbrellas, \$1.30; silk suspenders in glass box, 50c; silk mufflers from 75c up. Fine assortment of neckwear, handkerchiefs, mufflers, silk suspenders and silk umbrellas for holiday presents.
GLOBE, 705 to 718 Franklin avenue.

The Chicago Election.
CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 12.—Completed returns from yesterday's election for the Board of Water Way Commissioners does not change the results given in these dispatches last night. The Independent "Citizens" ticket, consisting of Judge Richard Pendergast, A. P. Gilmore and J. J. Althaus, Independent Democrats, and H. J. Willing, Christopher and Harry, secured the election. Of the straight Democratic ticket, John H. King, Wm. H. Russell and Frank Wendt were defeated. The straight Republican ticket was snuffed under.

Electric Light.
All construction companies doing electric light wiring, in order for connection with the meter system, solicit orders for such work on their own responsibility and do not represent this company. Agents are required to show written authority, signed by the Manager, when called upon to do so.
THE MISSOURI ELECTRIC LIGHT & POWER CO.,
S. B. FINE, Sec'y and Gen'l Mgr.

A War on Faith-Healers.
CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 12.—A dispatch from Tuscola, Ill., says: The Pentecost Band of faith-healers, which was driven from Hillsboro recently, went to Bradshaw Church three miles out of town, where, Wednesday night, they were attacked by a mob of about a dozen men, severely beaten and driven away. The band at Lovington is still holding forth, but the people there have warned them to leave the town, claiming that their object is to entice young girls away, as they did at Carthage.

Shooting coats, vests, pants, hats and caps.
RAWLINGS BROS., Eighth and Chestnut.

Ex-Mayor Ames Dying.
CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—A special to the Herald from Minneapolis, Minn., says that ex-Mayor Ames is lying fatally ill at his residence, and can live but a few hours. Dr. Ames but recently returned from Europe, where he spent several weeks at Carlsbad in the hope of finding relief for a disease of the kidneys. He has always been prominent in politics and was the Democratic candidate for governor three years ago.

"Proof of pudding" is the eating.
Flap Jack meals will bear repeating.

The Cruiser Thetis.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The United States Steamship Thetis left for Mare Island Navy Yard yesterday to undergo necessary repairs after her long cruise in the Arctic. Twenty-three of her crew will leave for the East by steamer San Jose, their time of service having expired.

VIENNA MODEL BAKERY.
Our motto: "The Best Bread." Trade mark: "Horse and Jockey." For sale by all grocers.

Ten Buildings Burned.
By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch.
LITTLE ROCK, Dec. 12.—A special from Nashville says that a fire broke out at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon in Crockett's restaurant. Ten buildings were burned, entailing a loss of about \$10,000; no insurance.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate
Imparts Renewed Strength and vigor where there has been exhaustion.

WE STILL HAVE
About 700
Of those \$20.00, \$22.00 and \$25.00 SUITS
that we are selling at

\$15.00

They are made of fine ENGLISH WORSTEDS and Best MAKES AMERICAN SILK and WOOL and finest ALL-WOOL CASSIMERES. Reduction sales generally mean the forcing off of old soiled broken lots, or hard, unsalable styles. Every lot of these \$15 Suits was made this season, and they are elegant, stylish, perfect fitting and bear our guaranty.

This Suit Sale has been a grand success. The poorest judge of goods cannot help seeing that no such values have ever been offered in this city at the price.

BROWING, KING & CO.,
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CAN THIS TALE BE TRUE?

STORY THAT A WEALTHY WHITE WOMAN WANTS TO MARRY JACKSON.

Comiskey Uses Classic Language in Discussing the Race Ball Situation—O'Connor on the Roving Championship—President Van der Ahe Leaves for New York—Base Ball, Racing and Other Sports.

It is stated that Peter Jackson, previous to his departure for Europe, confided to some of his intimates that there was a young and wealthy white woman who wished to marry him, says the San Francisco Examiner. He qualified his statement with the remark that his respect for her would never permit anything of the sort. A member of the club says that Jackson, who together with the widow of a country merchant who left her when he died lands and property worth upward of \$100,000. All this she now wishes to share with Peter.

The member further said that Jackson, realizing the sacrifice she would have to make, had for months refused to permit it, though she did not give up her affection for him. He said that Jackson's trip to Europe was made more for the purpose of giving her an opportunity to break away from the entanglement than to meet Jim Smith.

Now they say her passion for him has been increased by the fame that his victory over the English pugilist has given him, and she has sent him such a message as overcame his scruples, and what has disturbed the California Club is the statement that he has finally determined to take her as his wife. The fear that strikes dumb the patrons of pugilism is that if Peter marries they will never have an opportunity of seeing him and John L. in the ring.

Information in regard to the strange match is hard to get. A corroborative circumstance is furnished by one of Taber's employees, who said that a young woman had purchased a copy of every photograph that Peter has had taken in this city. Of course a marriage between a white woman and a negro, even though it be a champion pugilist, would be unlawful; but they could get around this either by going to some place out at sea and having the ceremony performed or going to some foreign country where there is no bar to such marriage and becoming man and wife there.

One of the current rumors proves true, even these events and their results. It is stated that the would-be bride herself has a strain of negro blood in her veins, and it is that that has been the intimate friends did not until this matter came up even suspect it.

COMISKEY'S CHAT.

The St. Louis Captain Makes a Few Scholarly Remarks on the Base Ball Situation.
In a telegram from New Orleans Capt. Comiskey of the Browns is quoted as saying that there is no hope of the American Association surviving, and that he will play first base for the Chicago Players' Club next season. He states that even if the Association does succeed in filling its vacancies it would be a very weak organization, and the new clubs would not be drawing cards. The crack Captain remarks that he has always played in first base, and he does not care to drop down into a second-class organization. He is quoted further as stating that all the best players in the Association are being lured to the Chicago Players' Club by the offer of \$10,000 a year.

It is in speaking of the troubles that the Brotherhood will have to encounter that Comiskey speaks of Comiskey in the interview to the difficulty in handling players he remarks that there are some brilliant leaders in the Brotherhood and if they can keep down petty jealousies and bickerings the organization will be successful. The crack Captain concludes his remarks on the subject with the smile: "There is the same danger awaiting the leaders, though that Spartacus, the gladiator,

had to meet after the freedom of his fellow-players, namely, dissension in the ranks and a desire on the part of all to be leaders and achieve fresh victories."

When Comiskey reads his remarks in the papers he will no doubt want to know what nine Spartacus explained before he will agree to stand pat on the interview. If the interview had lasted a little longer there is no questioning but what Comiskey would have been quoted Greek. It is possible that Comiskey may have made the admissions recorded to him, but until the young New Orleans journalist who wrote the interview can get inside nearer the St. Louis ball player's style of speech his article will be read with considerable doubt as to their genuineness.

Off for New York.

President Van der Ahe of the Browns and Will Johnson, brother of Al Johnson, the acting president of the Brotherhood, left last night for New York to be present when the Players' League meets Monday next. This is the meeting of the Brotherhood at which action will be taken on the question of consolidating with the American Association. At this meeting it is expected that the Brotherhood will make a committee from the Association and the two will meet at some small town and hold a session and decide as to which the plans for consolidation will be agreed upon. There is talk of transferring the Pittsburgh Club to this city and permitting the St. Louis players who have been signed by the Chicago Brotherhood Club to remain with that team, the Athletics being merged with the Philadelphia Brotherhood Club.

Base Ball Briefs.
Saul Cook, the excellent catcher of the Louisville Club, has been signed for the Brooklyn Players' team.

Gen. Arthur D. W. Husted, formerly of the London (Ont.) Club, has signed with the Philadelphia Players' League.

William Ewing, better known as "Buck" Ewing, Captain of the New York Club, was married last night to a daughter of the late Annie Lawson McCall of this city, the daughter of an ex-Confederate soldier.

O'Connor on the Championship.
Oarsman O'Connor, when interviewed at Toronto about the changed position of the championship on account of Seale's death, said he did not think Seale had a right to claim it. He thinks Stansbury will likely get the championship, as he had a match on with Seale, which was to have taken place before a great while. He thought he had as good a right to the title as anyone, and he hoped soon to have a chance to contest it with whoever may be the claimant.

New Orleans Races.
NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 12.—The races here yesterday resulted: First race, five furlongs, selling, for beaten horses—Karl won by one length; Crispian second, one length before Davis, third. Time, 1:07½.
Second race, selling, six furlongs—Dunham led from start to finish, winning by three lengths; Col. Hunt second, three lengths ahead of Morse, third; Vice Regent last. Time, 1:15.
Third race, selling, eleven-sixteenths of a mile—Nova G. won by a neck; Jess, second, two lengths ahead of Tommy K., third. Time, 1:10½.
Fourth race, thirteen-sixteenths of a mile, a free handicap—Somers, after a driving finish, won by a nose; Bertha, second, half a length ahead of McMurry, third. Time, 1:14½.
Running at Elizabeth.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Dec. 12.—The races here yesterday resulted as follows: First race, three-quarters of a mile—Jewell won, 118, Bergen, first; Elton, 103, French, second; Fredrick, 104, Horton, third. Time, 1:32.
Second race, six and one-half furlongs—Cambridge won, 104, and Bradley, 124, M. Daily, second; Not Guilty, 112, Hueston, third. Time, 1:30.
Third race, five-eighths of a mile—Treble 100, Gerhardt, first; Elizabeth 104, Bergen, second; Freedom 122, Moser, third. Time, 1:08½.
Fourth race, five-eighths of a mile—Frodo 106, Gerhardt, first; Little Barefoot 100, Lambrey, second; Village Maid 106, Bergen, third. Time, 1:08.
Fifth race, one mile—Martin Russell 85; Da Long, 84; Kind Lady 105, Soden, second; Ralph Black 96, Barton, third. Time, 1:30.
Sixth race, three-quarters of a mile—Barton 112, Bergen, first; Glendale 112, Barton, second; G. W. Cook 112, Gerhardt, third. Time, 1:29½.
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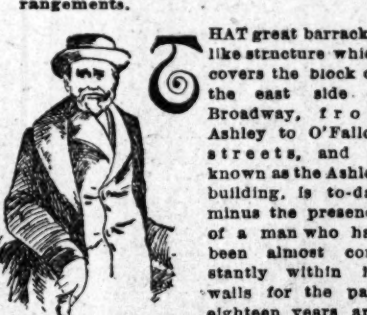


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A STRANGE CHARACTER.

DEATH OF "OLD MAN" BRADLEY, AGENT OF THE ASHLEY BUILDING.

He Was Thrifty and Accumulated Wealth, but Indulged in None of the Luxuries of Life—Fought to the Last in His Trust—Value of His Estate—The Funeral Arrangements.



HAT great barracks-like structure which covers the block on the east side of Broadway, from Ashley to O'Fallon streets, and is known as the Ashley building, is to-day minus the presence of a man who had been almost constantly within its walls for the past eighteen years and who was as familiar to the tenants and rooms, for his dead body now lies at an undertaking establishment awaiting burial. He died about 1 o'clock yesterday morning in a cot in his sleeping room, and he will be buried in the morning in the building, and he faithfully performed his duty up to the last moment.

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was "Old Man Bradley," as he was known, and a strange life he led. Through thrift and frugality he had managed to save out of his salary of \$20 a month something like \$15,000, for he leaves an estate estimated at that amount. With this means he could have lived very nicely and have enjoyed many of the luxuries of life, yet he preferred to exist with the same simplicity as his scanty provided tenants, and to enjoy none of the sweets and pleasures which they could not have. Not a person was there out of the hundreds of inhabitants of that huge building who did not live fully as well if not better than in any other one block in the city. His food was always of the plainest, and a few dollars worth of purchases all the clothing he wore in a year. In fact he was most indifferent about his personal appearance. A more faithful man to his trust than Old Bradley never lived, however, and he was most honest and conscientious in all his dealings. No one ever questioned his integrity. He had entire charge of the three upper floors of the building, which is the tenement portion, the lower floors being occupied by stores. All the rents were collected by him, and he had control of all repairs. Any bill which had received Bradley's O. K. was paid without question by L. A. Moffett & Co., who are the agents for the building and in whose employ the old man had been for years. Every day Bradley made out a full list of the rents received by him and brought it down with him to the office of Moffett & Co.

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We make this great offer to push our clothing sales up to the MILLION DOLLAR MARK by January 1. Our Great Scoop Sale has been the big success of the season, and for the past 60 days, while the stores of our would-be competitors have suffered from an emptiness of customers, famous has enjoyed the largest cash-paying patronage in its history. The secret of our continued success is the undisputed fact that we save the man or woman who patronizes our Clothing Salesroom from \$5 to 50 per cent. In addition to all these advantages, we give these beautiful watches, besides a free gift of 1000 other useful and ornamental articles with purchases in clothing from \$3 to \$12.50 in our Japanese Bazaar, suitable for Ladies, Gents, Boys and Children. THE INDUCEMENT IS GREAT, and the prices lower on all grades of clothing than any concern in St. Louis or the world can quote. See our Window Display.

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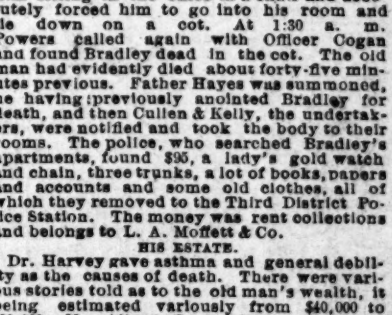


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HE WANTED TO DIE.

A Would-Be Suicide Arrested—The Letter Found on His Person.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—At 9 o'clock on Wednesday night Detective Brady found a man lying in the shadow of the fence surrounding the grounds of the Home for incurables. The man's appearance attracted the detective's notice, and he landed over the prostrate man to get a better view of him. As he did so the detective caught the gleam of a pistol in the stranger's right hand. He seized the man's wrist and wrenched the weapon from him.

"What do you intend to do with this pistol?" the detective asked.
"Kill myself," the man answered.
The detective took him to the Tremont station, where the prisoner was searched. This letter, found on him, was directed to the Governor.

"I am about to commit suicide. I shall use 38 caliber, which, no doubt, you will find in my hand or by my side. I make this statement that no one may be accused of murder. My last request is that no autopsy be held. I am as sensitive as Shakespeare. Damn him who uses a scalpel on my body. The cause of death is apparent; the motive, none of your business. Yours, FREDERICK BAKER."

"Oh, I'm tired, weary. Forgive me, A. I. The memorandum book he carried was one of the year 1888. It contained the names and addresses of a number of persons living in Kansas City apparently. Among these names was J. A. Ferguson, 124 Jacob street, Wyandotte street." He refused to talk about himself further than to say that he did not want to live, and that no one had a right to interfere with his plans.

See our line of Boxing Gloves for Christmas. RAWLINGS BROS., Eighth and Chestnut.

Stout Chiefs Go to Washington.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—A number of chiefs of the Sioux tribes arrived in this city yesterday on their way to Washington to close the treaty ceding their territory in the Dakotas to the Government. The Sioux Commission, which visited them this summer, has invited them. They include John Grass, Gali, Mad Bear, Big Head and Bear Face of the Standing Rock Agency; Joseph Campbell and Phil Webster of the Santee Agency; Foolish Elk, Swift Bear, Lip, Sky Blue, Hallow Horn and Yellow Hair of the Rosebud Agency.



Four Years on Crutches.

For fifteen years I was afflicted with rheumatism, four years of which I was compelled to go on crutches. Words are inadequate to express the suffering I endured during that time. During these fifteen years of existence (it was not living), I tried every known remedy, without receiving any benefit. I finally turned to Switzer's Specific (S. S.

GROWING RICH
the unlawful business, are let alone, and are notified when the police start out on one of their pretentious raids. The board has ordered lottery suppressed in St. Louis, the statute commands it, the rules the Police Department prescribe that it

9. Several ball dresses in silk crepe, one being of pale violet color and another in water green color, light embroidered with gold and silver; one in pink tulle, scattered all over with petals of flowers, sprinkled with dew.

A series of special meetings are being held

Good for the season. Through Pullman Buffet Sleeping Cars to the Gulf of Mexico and the Rio Grande connect for the City of Mexico via Laredo, Eagle Pass, or El Paso. Ticket offices, 605 North Fourth street and Union Depot.

